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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6199**

**BILL NUMBER: SB 60**

**NOTE PREPARED:** Nov 13, 2002

**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Professional Standards Board.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Sen. Kenley

**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**BILL STATUS:** As Introduced

**FUNDS AFFECTED:** X GENERAL  
DEDICATED  
FEDERAL

**IMPACT:** State

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill provides that the Professional Standards Board is a part of the Department of Education, instead of a separate body. It allows the State Board of Education to review and amend actions taken by the Professional Standards Board.

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2003.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** The bill might increase the workload of the State Board of Education, but probably would not increase the Board's expenditures. The combining of the Board with the Department of Education could reduce costs depending on the current duplication of administrative services by the Department and the Board.

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:** Department of Education, Professional Standards Board, State Board of Education.

**Local Agencies Affected:**

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